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Thinking Out Loud

(By H. M. L.)

Reading Time and various magazines and newspapers one is impressed by the great variety of shirts which inhabit the world. Men seem to have gone out, as women say, and shirts have come in. In Italy, black shirts; in England, blue shirts; in Germany, brown shirts; in America, stuffed shirts.

Shirts of the same color, or stuffed with the same sawdust, whether on parade or not, signify regimentation. Colored shirts rows and ranks of them, goose-stepping, or going through uniform gestures or calisthenics are regimentation made manifest. Stuffed shirts, scattered extensively throughout legislative halls, in Washington and state officials, mean a regimentation of ideas.

Colored shirts bawling in unison: "Heil Hitler," or "Vive il Duce," are at least honest. Stuffed shirts giving lip service to the New Deal and struggling with might and main to save the Old Deal, are regimented in dishonesty. They represent not the "dear peepul" but the exploiters of the people. Capitalism that depends for profit on child labor, capitalism that grinds the faces of the poor and coins sweat, misery, malnutrition, occupational diseases and crippling, into profits, belongs to the Old Deal.

Possibly the New Deal was too ambitiously named. Too much is expected of such a name. It implies a sharp conversion of human nature into something heavenly. A Better Deal, perhaps, would have been a better name, and more truthfully described what we now have. On second thought, however, New Deal is possibly as good a name as could be devised, for after all what we have now is a compromise between the Old and New Deals. If we had not hitched our wagon to a star, we would probably not have been so far along the road as we are.

We think it was Shakespeare, who put into the mouth of one of his characters: "The times are out of joint." In other words equilibrium of contending social and economic powers has been destroyed. The balance between production and consumption, for instance, is unstable. The balance between capital and labor, always precariously held, no longer exists, huge millions of capital is idle, more than seven million workers are similarly idle. And between the two stand our regiments of stuffed shirts.

Is it possible, that, like the drones in the bee hive, the stuffed shirts do serve a useful purpose in the scheme of things? Do they politically beget other stuffed shirts, regimented from generation to generation, to keep impatient altruists from going ahead so fast that the army of stragglers in the rear would be left behind to starve? Is this paid brigade of stuffed shirts a cushion to soften the shocks of great and inevitable changes in our social and economic structure.

If there had been an army of stuffed shirts in Italy and Germany would facism have succeeded? Had there been regiments of stuffed shirts in Russia, would communism have triumphed so easily and so quickly with its attendant holocaust of starved and murdered millions of human beings?

It's a question. We will still prefer men to shirts, but possibly the stuffed shirts do reduce our speed to safety limits, do hold the nation to a fairly even keel, despite the impatience that rages to the right and to the left of them. Nations which have colored shirts, only, and no stuffed shirts, seem to have fared worse than we, with our stuffed shirts. Can it be possible that the historian a hundred years hence will crown the stuffed shirt with a laurel wreath?

OFFICERS ELECTED AT CIVIC CLUB TONIGHT

The Woman's Civic Club will hold its regular meeting tonight at the Brand Studio. The president, Mrs. C. E. Parsons, urges all members to attend as very important business will take place. There will be the report from the convention delegate and also election of officers. After the business meeting Mrs. A. D. Hughes will give a short talk on life in the Malay Peninsula.

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT AT H. S. WEDNESDAY EVE.

"Return to School Night" will be held Wednesday evening at the high school at 7:30 p. m. This being National Education Week it is hoped that all parents and friends in the community will attend. The program Wednesday evening will be a "Regular School Session." The periods in each class will necessarily be shortened to ten minutes. But this length of time will permit the visitors to see the class room "set-up" and to observe the methods of instruction.

After the demonstration school session the girls will give their style show as a feature of the program. The dresses to be worn by the girls were all made by them in the sewing class.

Thursday night Paul D. Edwards, professor of education will deliver an address, "Challenge to the American Public School."

Each class room at Washington Grammar school has prepared an exhibit for Educational Week. Visitors and parents are urged to visit the exhibits all this week.

Mr. Clark McGinnis is in charge of the program for the grammar school while Mr. L. E. Sweeney is in charge of the high school program.

The program at Washington grammar school starts at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in the auditorium and is as follows:

Spring Opening, first grade girls; Vocal Solo, Eric Andersen; Reading, Neal McClure; Dialogue, second grade; Tap Dance, Joyce Henwood; Song, fifth and sixth grades; piano solo, June Dawson.

One act play, The Mad Tea Party, an excerpt from Alice in Wonderland. Cast: Alice, Laura Price; Mad Hatter, Ross Hughes; March Hare, David McCraney; Dormouse, Bill Rickard.

Selections by Grammar School Orchestra.

The program at the Nevada City high school will be at 8 o'clock Thursday evening in the high school auditorium and is as follows:

Selections, high school orchestra.

One act play: An excerpt from Little Women, by L. M. Alcott. Cast—Jo, Norlene Whitley; Meg, Jane Bennetts; Beth, Georgia Glennon; Amy, Shirley Davies; Mrs. March, Alberta Bolton.

Address by Dr. Paul D. Edwards of Chico State Teachers College. Subject: "Challenges of the American Public School."

Selections: Grammar School Girls Quartet.

Selections: High school orchestra.

PET SHOW PLANS FAST MATURING

Plans for the Pet Show in May are working out well. It is expected that the show will be much better than last year. Mrs. E. T. Bonner, general chairman is to meet with her program committee Tuesday. The pupils of the seventh and eighth grades have started work on their essays. Mrs. Lester Gregory, as chairman of the arrangements committee, is to meet soon in regard to the parade and other features.

There is to be a regular meeting of the grammar school P. T. A. this afternoon when an election of officers is to be held.

STUDENTS TRY OUT FOR ANNUAL SENIOR FARCE

Tryouts for the 1935 Senior Farce were held Thursday afternoon at the high school under the direction of Mr. Kjorlie. An interesting play has been chosen for this year's farce—its title is "Growing Pains" and it presents a humorous picture of the troubles of a typical American family with their two adolescent children.

Among those who tried out were: Dick Bennett, Dick Marriott, Cecil Schiffner, Fred Browning, Mary Warneke, Merle Hocking, Isabel Dunlap, Margery Williams, Audrey Davis, Una Coughlin, Helen Rickard, Erma Santinelli, Virginia Day, and Nathiele Worthley.

The play is to be given about the middle of May.

OLD WEAPON FOUND IN DISMANTLED BUILDING

Bert Foreman, associated with Fred E. Conner in the Builders Supply House on Spring street, made a startling discovery during the process of tearing down old buildiugs on the property where the lumber yard is to be placed. First he found an old sword that looked as though it had had a lot of use, such as cutting hams or repelling boarders. The end was broken off. Foreman thinks it must have been plunged into the breast of some obstreperous Argohaut and there broken against one of those heavy old watches, or a New Testament. Next was a dagger, a regular old 49er snickersee, long and deadly. Possibly Murietta once wielded it. Imbedded in one of the rafters were forty odd musket balls apparently fired there by one of the hard drinkers of early times who was trying to pot pink elephants. Foreman, a veteran of the Boer war, is starting a collections of weapons for the adornment of the office.

N. C. CIVIC CLUB IS REPRESENTED AT CONVENTION

Fourteen Nevada City ladies journeyed to Marysville Friday to attend the banquet program and club sessions of the convention of the Northern District of Federated Clubs of California. During the club sessions Mrs. H. E. Kjorlie and Mrs. C. E. Parsons as district chairmen gave talks.

Friday the Northern District election of officers was held. Mrs. Carl Schnabel of Marysville was elected President for the ensuing two years. Nevada City ladies who will serve the district for the term are Mrs. H. E. Kjorlie, District chairman of nominations and Mrs. H. M. Leete district chairman of literature.

Those who represented the Nevada City club at the convention were: Mesdames Belle Douglass, A. W. Hoge, H. E. Kjorlie, Robert Nye, W. C. Austin, C. E. Parsons, Raglan Tuttle, James Penrose, Harley M. Leete, B. Goldsmith, K. Kimbell, T. Scott, Benjamin Hall, Miss Minnie Brand.

The Northern California Federated Club convention will be held at Corning in 1936.

OLD CITY CHARTER IS FOUND IN BASEMENT

In the cleanup of the basement at the old Parsons property on Spring street last week, recently purchased by Mr. Fred Conner, a city charter compiled by I. C. Lindley in 1901 was found. It is one of three or four printed and Mr. Conner stated there was only one other in existence, that being in the strong box at the city hall. The book is in good condition after so many years of storage in the basement.

The charter was printed by William Reynolds and was the property of Sidney Peard.

In a book of liquor license receipts of 1898 the liquor licenses paid per month were from $100 to over $500. About 75 pairs of old shoes had been thrown into the basement along with lots of other old trash.

PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

A petition for letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin F. Van Horn has been filed in the superior court by Gove C. Celio through his attorney W. E. Wright. It is alleged that Van Horn passed away in 1934. The estate consists of mining land known as the Harmony Mine. There are no known heirs.

Louis Bevilacqua, through his attorneys, Nilon, Henessy and Kelly, has filed a petition for letters of administration on the estate of his brother, Daniel F. Bevilacqua, who died in Stockton on March 14, 1935. The estate is valued at $10,000.

EASTER VACATION

The local schools will have a weeks vacation begenning April 15.

JURY TO HEAR N. I. D. VS P.G.E. SUIT TOMORROW

The long-pending litigation of the N. I. D. against the P. G. E. Company over a disputed water bill, will come to trial before Superior Judge Ralph Thompson of El Dorado county in the Nevada County superior court tomorrow.

The complaint filed by the Nevada Irrigation District demands the payment of $199,341.41 plus interest and costs of trial, from the Pacific Gas and Electric Co. This amount is alleged to be due to the Irrigation District for water supplied on contract to the P. G. & E. Co. for power purposes, by the Irrigation District in 1927, from Lake Spaulding througfih the Bowman-Spaulding tunnel.

A compromise was attempted, but neither side could agree, so now the judge and jury must settle the question. C. F. Metteer of the law firm of Orrick, Palmer and Dalquist, is in charge of the case for plaintiff, while Straub and Dunn will represent the defendants.

The jury will be selected from the following venire:

Nevada Township: Mike Kendrick, William E. Peard, Martha Dillon, William J. Wasley, Maggie Lewis, Joseph W. Hartman, Josephine Muscardini, Clyde Garwood, Ed Granholm, Katherine Williamson, Harriet A. Farmer, Robert Ewing, W. H. Goods.

Grass Valley: W. W. Esterly, Thomas M. Harris, John D. Tupper, Amie M. Curneen, John T. Jones, Simon U. Mitchess, John C. Tamblyn, Harry Clemo, T. R. Shealery, Charles Morandi, Herbert Wilson, Roy Carpenter, Harlan E. Wheeler, Walter McCrea, Leslie E. Harris, Mary Moore, Walter Egbert, Dan F. Dugan, Frederick W. Harden, Filmore Emmerson, Albert W. Wells, Herbert M. Curnow, Walter I. Merrill, Stanley Woolcock, Samuel Hendenhaim, Habel Bawden Allen, Barbara L. Gilbert.

Rough and Ready Township: William Goforth, Walter Fleming, Jesse Ennor, Daniel Canavan.

Bridgeport Township: Thomas E. Pearce, Ray McCullough, George Harper.

Washington Township: Grover Wilson.

Meadowlake Township: Albert R. Bailey, H. R. Mighels, Dudley P. Benson, Roy Feathers.

NEW HOSPITAL IN PROSPECT

Dr. Carl P. Jones has announced plans have been drawn for a new $120,000 hospital to be constructed here soon. A site for the hospital has not yet been selected.

The institution will have thirty-seven rooms, solariums, an office, consultation rooms, surgical section, and other departments. The nurses' quarters will be constructed aside from the hospital. It will be known as the Grass Valley Memorial Hospital.

At present the only hospital in Grass Valley is the W. C. Jones Memorial Hospital.

BODY MOVED FROM CEMETERY TO VAULT

Mrs. Mattie Rosenberg of Healdsburg and Miss Irma Caspar of San Francisco, accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. Alter, of San Francisco, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Darke for a few days in the last week.

While here Mrs. Rosenberg and Miss Caspar had the remains of their late brother, Melville Caspar, who was drowned 41 years ago, removed from the Jewish cemetery south of Nevada City taking them to San Francisco where they are to be placed in a vault.

His father conducted a men's furnishing store where the local Chamber of Commerce is now located, for many years, and also started the first electrical plant in Nevada City.

Melville Caspar, 14 years of age while swimming with other boys in the old Manzanita Diggins, was drowned. Holmes Funeral Home had charge of the moving of the remains.

Snowplow Operator Killed at Emerald Bay; Floods Menace Valley

Tragic consequence of the storm now raging was the death of Henry White of Applegate, about midnight last night at Emerald Bay on the Tahoe road. White was killed while operating a snow plow. A slide of snow and earth occurring where the plow had somewhat undermined the mass, crashed down on the machine, carried White from his seat and crushed him in the road. The driver in the cab escaped injury. The plow was somewhat damaged. The state highway crew working there succeeded in extricating the body and removing it to Truckee, where it is understood the inquest, under Coroner Robert Jefford, will be held.

The farther the present storm traveled down the Sierras toward the great valley, the more of it there was. All Sacramento was awash yesterday according to Forest Ranger M. R. Pryor, and his brother, B. P. Pryor, who came up from Sacramento this morning.

They reported that the American river at the I street bridge was almost level with its banks. Yesterday afternoon the 1.44 inches of rain fell inside of an hour and that was more than the storm sewers could drain. Water rose in the streets to depths of one and a half feet. They saw one small boy in a bathing suit taking a swim in M street. Having occasion to drive down the river road to Isleton yesterday afternoon, their machine stalled when sheets of water penetrated their engine and short-circuited the wiring. Fields of grain were laid flat. Not since 1906 has Sacramento experienced such a flood.

Coming up from Sacramento this morning they found one tree uprooted across the highway and places where floods had carried rubble and stones across the highway for several yards in width. This was on the road between Auburn and Nevada City.

A heavy downpour in the watershed of Deer Creek caused that stream to swell rapidly yesterday and a large number of people gathered at the bridges to see the torrent. Ordinarily the stream is about one and a half feet deep. Yesterday the gauge revealed a six foot depth.

Frank Miller, high school bus driver, this morning reported many places where floods had washed over the Downieville highway between this city and North San Juan. Fred Garrison, district highway superintendent of this city, with his crew, met the school bus this morning prepared to clear off the many earth slides that partially filled the road.

Garrison reports that, while there are many slides on the road to Downieville. It is open all the way. The snow plow is working on the Tahoe-Ukiah road today. The road is open to the junction with Highway No. 40 but chains are advisable.

Mrs. Helen Berger reported this morning that rainfall for April now totals 3.87 and for this season 49.36 inches, as compared with the average for the entire season in past years of 52.99 inches.

MINER, EMPLOYED AT YOU BET, KILLS SELF

An employee of the You Bet Mining Company, Percy Christopherson, Friday committed suicide at the You Bet diggings. Christopherson killed himself with a .38 calibre pistol. William Brady and W. Marshall, fellow employees discovered the man's body about a half hour after the shooting. They immediately notified Coroner L. R. Jefford, who took charge of the body. Employees of the You Bet company heard the shot which killed Christopherson, but assumed it to be the first of a series of powder drift shots which had been set off shortly before the suicide.

The dead man was a native of Afton, Wyoming and his body was shipped there yesterday, by W. R. Jefford and Son, funeral directors. The dead man leaves a mother in Logan, Utah, and a brother, Earl Christopherson at You Bet, and three sisters.

At a coroner's inquest held Saturday, the jury found Christopherson's death to be a suicide from a self-inflicted gunshot wound in the forehead.

CENSUS REPORTS TWO MORE FARMS IN NEV. CO.

The supervisor of the farm census recently taken reports that in Nevada county the number of farms enumerated on January 1, 1935, totals 541, as compared with 539 on April 1, 1930. This is a preliminary figure and subject to later correction. Agriculture is growing evidently for Nevada county has two more farms than it had five years ago.

NEVA REBEKAH LODGE

Neva Rebekah lodge initiated a candidate into their order last Saturday evening and enjoyed a social time after the meeting. The Rebekahs and Oustomah Lodge of Odd Fellows have formed a group of young people, with Lewis Netz as leader, who meet every other Tuesday for a social time, cards, and dancing.

TALL PINE TREE BLOWS OVER

A tall pine tree on the Buffington place on the Downieville highway, was blown over last night and crashed through the roof causing considerable damage.

SPECIAL MEETING OF CHAMBER TO BE HELD APRIL 11

A special meeting of the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce has been called for next Thursday (April 11) morning at 10 o'clock to consider the hydraulic mining litigation affecting Nevada and Placer counties. All of the litigants have been notified and requested to be present. The Pacific Gas & Electric company several weeks ago brought suit in the Placer county Superior Court to enjoin hydraulic miners along the Bear river. It is this litgation affecting, in its import, not only gravel mining along the Bear river, but all hydraulic mining of similar character, which will be considered at the Chamber meeting Thursday.

The regular meeting of the Chamber which was to have been held on Tuesday evening, April 9, has been postponed until Friday evening April 12. President Fred F. Cassidy reports that several important matters are to be considered and urges a full attendance.

RESERVATION IS MADE FOR SCOUT JAMBOREE ENVOY

A committee meeting of directors of the Boy Scouts met and made application to send two boys, one from Troop Six, Boy Scouts, and one from the Cub Scouts to the big jamboree to be held in Washington, D. C., this fall. The applications were accompanied by an initial payment to reserve the boys places for them.

A tent city will be erected at Washington, D. C. to care for 30,000 Boy Scouts, one adult for each ten boys, and the official staff. The hospitals of the city have been thrown open to the boys and thirty five beds specially donated to them. The boys will leave August 14 and return home September third.

BASEBALL POSTPONED

The Nevada City-Roseville game scheduled for last Saturday was called off on account of the cloudy, unsettled weather.

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THE MARBLE GAME

The city council takes cognizance of the "marble" game. It is proposed that each "marble" game in this city shall pay a license of $15 per quarter. This is not enough. The game is extremely profitable. Disguised as a game of skill, for nine out of ten it is purely a game of chance. Dressed in all its virtues it is still a shabby cousin of the slot machine, and really, if the slot machines are vicious and outlaws, this should also be cast into outer darkness.

The viciousness of the "marble" game is that in its disguise as a game of skill it seems particularly to attract youth and is often placed where youth congregates. The slight claim that it is a game of skill intrigues the boys. In pool rooms where no minors are allowed something may be said for the game, perhaps. At least, under such conditions, it can do no more damage than the various poker games that flourish in this city.

Boys play this game and lose their pocket money. They play it further in the hope of recouping their losses. Some, of course learn how silly it is to try to beat a machine especially designed to beat them, and halt in their tracks, refusing to go further in a career of gambling. But others go from one stage of gambling to another, trying everything once, so long as there is a bet offered or a game of chance, any kind, open to them. These join the great army of gamblers as they grow older.

In view of the damage they do to future citizens the "marble" game should be made to pay the city handsomely. And whatever the machines pay into the municipal treausry will not offset their injury and menace to the community's young citizens. Better to abolish them than to license them.

WEEKLY COMMENT

BY

Christian Andersen

California's natural weather mood even in this, the high Sierras, is usually soft and carressing to it's inhabitants but this year, she has been in an unusually unfriendly temper at least for approximately twenty-five days. Then, as if ashamed of herself she slips a few sunshiny days into the deck. The moutains are striped with bridal veiling cascades of white half mile high waterfalls, hundreds of them. In the lower benches the grass and the trees show the effect of plentiful moisture and respond in colorful masses of beauty. So it is that California modifies her climate to meet all requirements, and to mollify those who must brave her storms.

The voice of "Believe it or Not" Robert Ripley is so startlingly like that of President Roosevelt, that if the announcer had not told who was speaking, we would have believed it was the voice of the Chief Executive.

Yes, the pony express was a romantic way to cross a country, the first trip was finished in a very few minutes less than ten days. This time was cut eventually to seven days, seven hours. Now as you must know, a plane covers the distance in ten hours and something and with less danger.

The lead-ups to the attempt which will be made to discredit the rule of the Democratic party, are already beginning to pop into print. The next campaign will no doubt be a battle to the death between two of the highest paid press agents. Already at work.

Bill Cunningham and his crew have taken off a lot of the offending jutting rocks, just a whisper this side of the Middle Yuba. Two cars now can pass without difficulty. The place looks better.

The pilot of the new giant clipper-ship, transpacific, commercial trail blazing, plane has the name of Musick. Judging by his record of several thousands hours in the air almost without mishap, the pioneer crossing is in safe hands. The Japanese seem not to appreciate our Musik.

In the mail box this morning.

My Dear Mr. Andersen.

Thanks for your letter I am genuinely sorry I cannot be more helpful, but my contracts do not permit me to read unsold manuscripts of any kind, and even if I were permitted to do so, it would only be an individual opinion which means nothing for to sell material you must convince the fellow who buys it that it has merit.

I am glad to give you the names and addresses of two reliable syndicates.

Be assured of my good wishes.

Yours truly

(Signed) OOM.

The OOM of course stands for O. O. McIntyre.

So with this advice I shipped off some of the articles for inspection.

Some brave writer of recent date had the intestinal fortitude to use the almost tabooed word "guts" and the sentence immediately took on a vitality which made the remark interesting. The word is so close a relative to the word "morale" that I personally see only expressive benefit from it's use, without offence please. Some words have that euphonic value and other words like "guts" have hitting value.

DANIELS BUILDING TO HOUSE NEW GROCERY

M. Feria of Hanford has taken a seven year lease on the Daniels building formerly occupied by Mrs. Eleanor Hoeft DeWein and will open a grocery store there in about three weeks. Mr. Feria has two successful stores in Hanford. He has taken a liking to this district and decided to open a store here.

Robert Stedger and sons have the contract to remodel the building into a modern business house. The work of tearing out partitions and worn places in the large room which is about 50 by 18 feet, started Wednesday morning.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 3592.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY ELIZABETH GLUYAS RICHARDS, also known as MARY ELIZABETH RICHARDS, Deceased.

NTOICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned E. M. RECTOR, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of MARY ELIZABETH GLUYAS RICHARDS, also known as MARY ELIZABETH RICHARDS, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor at the offic of Jones & Finnegan, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, the same being his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said MARY ELIZABETH GLUYAS RICHARDS Deceased.

Dated April 5, 1935.

E. M. RECTOR, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of MARY ELIZABETH GLUYAS RICHARDS, also known as MARY ELIZABETH RICHARDS, Deceased.

First Publication April 8, 1935.

Jones & Finnegan, Attorneys for Executor.

April 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26-May 3.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 3580.

In the Matter of the Estate of HASSEL B. WORTHLEY, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned EVALINE SKEAHAN, as Administratrix of the Estate of HASSEL B. WORTHLEY, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within Six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers within Six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administratrix at the office of Jones & Finnegan, Attorneys at Law, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said HASSEL B. WORTHLEY, Deceased.

Dated: March 28th, 1935.

EVALINE SKEAHAN, Administratrix of the Estate of HASSEL B. WORTHLEY, Deceased.

Jones & Finnegan, Attorneys for Administratrix.

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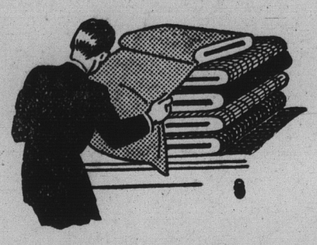

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The three Nevada City high school boys, all seniors, who took the entrance examination to Stanford University, given in Marysville in February, today received their gradings. The three students, Richard Bennett, Harley M. Leete, Jr., and Franklin Tuttle, received top rating. All were marked in Group No. 1. Nine out of ten, entering college in this group, do satisfactory university work, and one in three attain high scholarship standing. Mary Bennett, a student in Junior College, but not a graduate of Nevada City high school, also received high rating in the Marysville test.

Principal H. E. Kjorlie is very proud of excellent showing made by these seniors. He reports that not only have they done well in their examinations, but that the four graduates of the high school who entered college last year, have earned B averages in their studies for the first college half year. The grade C is considered the normal average.

DOWNIEVILLE NEWS

(By RUBY LAVEZZOLA)

DOWNIEVILLE, April 4. — The masquerade dance given by the Downieville high school was very well attended.

A number of old land marks are to be razed to make way for the new bridge.

The Armory Hall, Loyd's ice cream parlor, the garage which was an early day livery stable, and the old Kaiser saloon are slated to go.

The supervisors met Monday for their regular session. Many important matters were taken up in addition to their routine work.

Charlie Raymond of the Union Hill mine is in town. He predicts that it will be the middle of July before the Henessy Pass road is open.

Recent rains have brought the river to a flood stage due to the fast melting of the snow by rain.

Elsworth and Baird residents of the Indian Valley district, recently were sentenced to ten days in the county jail for illegal possession of deer meat.

The men from the Tennessee mine of the Poker Flat district are in town for their regular monthly visit. This mine is owned and operated by State Treasurer Johnson.

J. K. Latta is making alterations in his lunch room.

The Downieville fire district boundaries were extended to take in the townsite.

Joe Poggi was recently elected to the board of fire commissioners.

FRENCH CORRAL

(MRS K. M. F. SULLIVAN)

Spring is here! Yes, it was duly announced on the twenty first but not by such weather as we have enjoyed in the past week. Three days that fairly thrill one out of doors where everything betokens beautiful spring. Frogs croaking, birds singing, quail calling, meadow lark singing his ever sweet song, humming birds ever busy around flowering shrubs, the balmy air, fragrant with the fragrance of chapperal, manzanita and fruit blossoms—and even the big black butterfly is here. What a joy to be living! All this loveliness should awaken slackers like the writer. Many people come and go, of whom we have no note. Many are still finding employment in the SERA service. This work has been a wonderful help to many of our people. During the past week some of the unemployed have been busy cleaning up the French Corral cemetery. This service was badly needed as the last forest fire made sad havoc there and our residents were unable to perform this work. We trust that the little God's Acre in Sweetland where rest many of our pioneer men and women, may not be overlooked and will receive the same attention that has been given to North San Juan and French Corral.

Mrs. J. W. Culver who has been spending the past month with relatives in San Francisco, returned to her home in French Corral this week.

The election of the school trustees was held here this evening. Mrs. Kate Sullivan incumbent was re-elected without opposition.

Rev. P. O. Rielly held the usual fourth Sunday service on the 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Sutton who now reside at Bridgeport, but were of our community some months ago, called on friends here last Thursday.

Sunday brought visitors as usual. Mr. and Mrs. E. Gullup and little son Donald of Woodland visited Mrs. Sullivan. Mrs. Gullup and her parents, her father the late Peter Nichols, were for many years residents of this place.

Friends of Mrs. Ada Landsburg will be pleased to learn that after spending twelve weeks in St. Luke's hospital in Boise, Idaho, has recovered sufficiently from the accident in which her legs were broken to be transferred to her home in Kuna. While it will be a long time before she will be able to walk her health is good and she has hopes of a complete recovery.

Among Sunday's visitors to French Corral were Mrs. Oscar Werner, Mrs. Tom Castello, Mrs. D. Ryan and Mr. F. Schultz of San Francisco. The ladies were nieces of the late T. J. Feyers.

The Angel of Death has taken from us another of our beloved Ridge members. Miss Martha O'Connor, a native of Birchville, who was for many years of the Nevada county school teachers staff, in fact she had given her whole life to this work. She passed into eternity the 23rd last month at Sacramento where she had been ill for some time. Her many friends join with her family in deepest sympathy.

RIDGE LEAGUE ASKS GOOD ROAD TO SWEETLAND

(By FRANK MILLER)

The Improvement League held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening. The league is proud to have such a good citizen as Mr. Henry Huckins join with them. Mr. Huckins made a speech praising the members of the league on their efforts to bring the citizens of the Ridge together so that all may work in harmony for the good of San Juan Ridge.

A motion was made that the league take action to secure much needed improvements on the road from Sweetland to Mooney Flat. This road earns the name of the "Bumpy Road to Hellangone."

A committee was appointed to meet with attorneys of the Mutual Water Association and endeavor to work out a plan to secure an ample supply of water for the people of the San Juan Ridge the year around.

A dance for the benefit of the San Juan Baseball Team will be given Saturday, April 13 at Solari Hall in San Juan.

The boys promise to bring home the bacon this year, so some good ball games are in sight for the summer.

The league will give its next dance at French Corral on Saturday evening, April 27.

Mrs. N. V. Uhrig, secretary of the league has returned home after a visit with her mother in Mill Valley.

FATHER OF NEV. CITY RESIDENT IS DEAD

Due to a recent accident added to the infirmities of age, Jacob Odegaard of Marysville, father of Oscar Odegaard, of this city, passed away at the Rideout hospital in Marysville Thursday evening. Mr. Odegaard was a native of Norway, 87 years of age. He had expected to hake his home with his son, the manager of the Nevada County Lumber company, when his son's family moved to Nevada City in June.

The remains were sent to Merrill, Wisconsin, the old family home, for burial. Surviving the deceased are Oscar Odegaard, Nevada City; George Odegaard, Wisconsin, and eight grandchildren. A son, Ingvar Ogegaard of the U. S. N. died during the world war.

LEGION DIST. POSTS TO MEET IN GRASS VALLEY

There will be a meeting of the Sixth District American Legion posts in Grass Valley on May 12. Included in the district are the posts of Grass Valley-Nevada City, Truckee, Woodland, Sacramento, Placerville, Galt, Roseville and Lincoln.

There will be a meeting of Sixth District posts in Sacramento April 12, to elect a district commander, Emmett Peterson the commander who took office at the last election, having passed away. The meeting is called by Vice Commander Katherine Fallon.

Mr. Warren Caldwell, traffic officer of Alturas who has been attending traffic officers school of instruction in Sacramento for the past week spent the week end in Nevada City.

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A wedding of much interest to this commity is that of Miss Susanne Elizabeth Howard to Mr. Clifford Bradford Merriam, which was solemnized Sunday, April 7, at St. Marks Episcopal Church, Reverend J. Lindsay Patton officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by only the immediate family, after which Mr. and Mrs. Merriam left immediately on their honeymoon, which will be spent in Southern California and Mexico.

Mrs. Merriam is the daughter of Mrs. A. J. Balmforth and Mr. William Lee Howard noted yachtsman and sportsman of Boston and New York. On the paternal side she is the granddaughter of Mr. Mark Howard of Hartford, Conn., and the granddaughter of Dr. William Lee Howard. On the maternal side she comes of one of the oldest families in Maryland, being the great-granddaughter of the Honorable Septimus Sewell; a relative of the old Bayard family of Delaware and the Fahenstocks of Washington, D. C., and a cousin of Mr. Theodore Marburg, former Ambassador to Belgium. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Fischer donors to many museums both here and abroad are the aunt and uncle of Miss Howard.

Miss Howard who was educated in the east, resided a short time in Grass Valley with her mother and stepfather, Mr. A. J. Balmforth, a former executive of the Phelps Dodge corporation.

Mr. Merriam, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merriam of Dobbins, California, and a cousin of Governor Merriam graduated from the University of California, and is a member of Sigma Phi Episilon fraternity.

Mr. Merriam is manager of the Carveth Insurance Agency in Nevada City, where he and his bride will make their future home.

Birthdays Are Celebrated in Napa

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shurtleff of Gold Flat returned Tuesday from a two weeks vacation. They spent a week in Napa with their son, Thomas Shurtleff and family, and several days with their daughter, Mrs. Sue Spencer and granddaughter, Miss Lodema Stacy, in Oakland, and Mrs. Shurtleff's brother, Robert Smith, in San Francisco.

While in Napa they celebrated, with a big raviola dinner, Mr. Shurtleff's birthday and his daughter-in-law's, which fell on the same date. Family members from the bay region were present also. Mr. and Mrs. Shurtleff report one of the happiest times they ever had in the bay district.

Mrs. Mary Hicks, who has been seriously ill, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martha Dillon, on East Broad street, is much improved. Yesterday her son F. Norman Hicks, accompanied by his daughter, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hall, all of Sacramento, visited Mrs. Hicks who thoroughly enjoyed their stay.

Mrs. Jos. Day Hostess To Gold Flat Club

Mrs. Joseph Day entertained the Gold Flat Thursday Club at her home on Gold Flat Thursday afternoon. Several hours were spent in social converse, fancy work and community singing. A profusion of daffodils and violets were used in decorating the home and prettily arranged tables. Seventeen members were present for the happy affair.

New officers were elected as follows: Mrs. V. Walker, president; Mrs. Harold Clemo, vice president; Mrs. John Deschwanden, secretary-treasurer.

The next meeting will be held on April 18th at the home of Mrs. Clendennen.

Cecelia Genasci Complimented Guest

Miss Cecelia Genasci was the honored guest at a surprise shower hostessed by the Tuesday club at the home of Mrs. Charles Genasci on Thursday afternoon. Miss Genasci is to become the bride of Leon C. Christensen of this city. Present at the affair were: Mesdames: Russell Farley, E. Beecher, E. Brisbell, Jessie Butters, Jack Townsend, R. Graham, E. Foreman, Frank Williams, B. O. Smith, C. J. Tobiassen, Alec Durbin, H. Harding, E. Pollard, Melvin Dunn, William Briggs.

Easter Wedding for Former N. C. Girl

Miss Genevieve Paine formerly of Nevada City whose marriage to Earl Bochman, the supervisor of the Mt. Shasta division of the United States Forest Service will take place Easter Sunday, was greeted at a party in her honor in Chico on Tuesday.

Miss Mona Carnahan and Miss Belle Riley were the hostesses.

Fancy plush and felt rabbits at Colleys Confectionery.

MRS. GEO. GILDERSLEEVE ATTENDS MOTHER'S 84TH BIRTHDAY RE-UNION

Mrs. J. J. Elsworth, a frail little lady of St. Helena, had been looking forward with keen pleasure to the celebration of her 84th birthday which took place Sunday, April 7th, when relatives from far and near gathered for a family reunion. This group included a daughter, Mrs. George Gildersleeve of Nevada City, a grand daughter, Miss M. A. Gildersleeve of New York City, two grand sons and a great grand son.

Miss M. A. Gildersleeve, a graduate nurse of the New York hospital and Cornell Medical College in New York City, sailed for California some time ago coming by way of the Panama Canal to be present at the reunion. She is a formed Nevada City girl, and is returning to the Pacific coast to make her home.

Mrs. Ellsworth was the recipient of many lovely gifts and is enjoying one of the happiest times of her life with her loved ones gathered about her.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Apperson and son of Bakersfield arrived Sunday and will visit Mrs. Apperson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guenther until Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Putnam and Miss Eleanor Willoughby of Yuba City were Nevada City visitors Sunday, calling on several friends while here.

Mrs. Arthur Pratti was brought from the Jones Memorial Hospital Friday after a several day's stay. She is resting as comfortably as can be expected from the recent operation.

Charles Deeble of San Francisco spent the week end in Nevada City with his wife who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Madge Schwartz. Mr. Deeble's mother, Mrs. Josephone Deeble, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Granholm at Town Talk accompanied him as far as Sacramento.

Albert Conti, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conti of Nevada City, was operated upon Tuesday in Landis Clinic in Grass Valley. Mr. Conti brought his wife home from the same hospital several days ago, the boy taking the same room his mother vacated. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

A Lavezolla, Downieville hotel man visited Nevada City Saturday.

Mr. W. J. King and wife returned to Nevada City Wednesday evening from Oakland, Mr. Kings niece, Mrs. Billy Norris motoring to this city with them. While away they visited in Carmel and Monterey and had a most enjoyable winter.

'POWER' AND WILL ROGERS IN 'THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN' AT NEVADA

Monday and Tuesday the Nevada Theatre will present the screen version of Feuchtwanger's great novel "Power," a British-Gaumont production. The film will bring to American audiences Conrad Veidt and Benita Hume, both well known and acclaimed, both here and on the Continent.

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BANNER MT. POST V. F. W.

Banner Mountain Post, V. F. W., is making preparations for a social time Thursday evening. A speaker has been planned for and refreshments will be served at the close of the happy occasion. Ed Rose is the chairman of the evening.

Those attending the meeting of Auburn Post and County Council meeting in Auburn recently were Glenn Clelland, Max Weiss, Will Mitchell and C. E. Bosworth. The next county meeting in Nevada City on May 9th.

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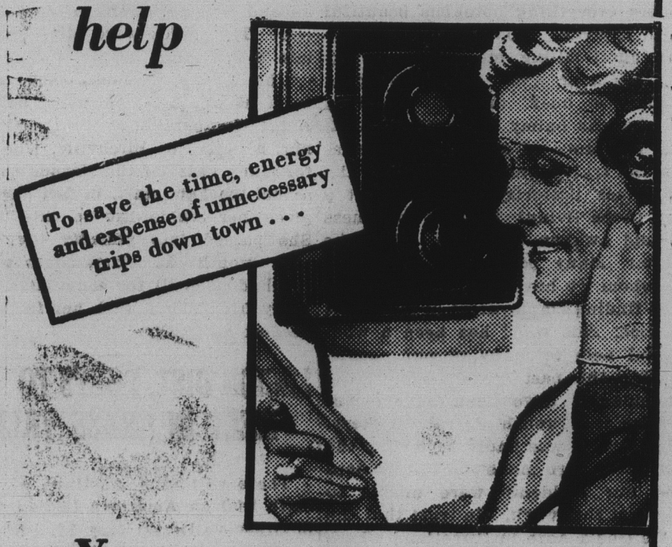

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